



CSP 2011 TICKETING AGGRESSIVE CARS AND TRUCKS CAMPAIGN FACT SHEET

Statistics

In Colorado in 2010, there were 968 crashes between commercial motor vehicles (CMVs) and passenger vehicles.

- Down from 1,062 crashes in 2009
- 50 fatalities
 - 78% of the fatalities are the occupants of the car
- 138 injuries
- 56% of the time, the crash was caused by the car driver



Tips

Avoid Blind Spots

Trucks can't see you if you're by their side, especially the passenger side. Stay away from these blind spots and keep your distance.

Never Tailgate

Trucks take much longer to stop. When following, leave enough room to come to a complete safe stop, if needed.

Never Cut Off a Truck

Trucks take much longer to stop. Stay well ahead and visible to the truck driver.

Don't be an Aggressive Driver

Stay back, stay visible, use signals and observe posted speed limits.

Know the NO ZONE

